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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON TOURISM AND OUTDOOR RECREATION AND AGRICULTURE

Friday, September 29, 2017

9:30 a.m.

ArtPrize HUB 41 Sheldon Blvd., SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503

The House Standing Committee on Tourism and Outdoor Recreation was called to order by Chair Hughes.

Members present: Reps. Hughes, VanderWall, Sheppard, Clemente Members absent/excused: Rep. Dianda.

Representative Sheppard moved to adopt the minutes of September 13, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Representative VanderWall moved to excuse the absent member. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Christian Gaines, Executive Director of ArtPrize. Questions and discussion followed.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Jennifer H. Goulet, President, and Sarah Triplett, Director of Public Policy, for Creative Many Michigan. Questions and discussion followed.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Tim Kelly, Vice President for Planning and Development of Downtown Grand Rapids Inc. Questions and discussion followed.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Janet Korn, Senior Vice President of Experience GR. Questions and discussion followed.

Chair Hughes laid before the committee a presentation by Miranda Krajniak, Executive Director of the Urban Institute of Contemporary Art. Questions and discussion followed.

There being no further business before the committee, Chair Hughes adjourned the meeting, the time being 10:41 a.m.

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